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I FEEL THAT THE BEST ROLE THAT WE CAN NOW PLAY IN THE
JORDANIAN AIR DEFENSE MATTER WOULD BE TO CALM THE JOR-
DANIANS, TELLING THEM THAT THE SAUDIS HAVE INDEED BEEN
IN TOUCH WITH US AND THAT WE ARE IN THE PROCESS OF ANSWERING
SOME QUESTIONS PUT TO US BY THE SAUDIS. I THINK IT WOULD BE
USEFUL FOR AMBASSADOR PICKERING TO BE AS LOW-KEY
AS POSSIBLE WITH THE JORDANIANS, LEST THEY
UPSET THE ARRANGEMENT AGAIN.
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